

## Van Loveren River Red 2002

River Red is a light, smooth, well-balanced, fruity, unwooded red wine. A versatile wine to be enjoyed on any occasion, or with your favorite meat dishes, casseroles and flavourful cheeses. A genuinely modern soft juicy 'super quaffer' with fresh brambly aromas, red berries and plum on the palate.

**variety :** Shiraz | 50% Shiraz, 30% Merlot, 20% Ruby Cabernet

**winery :** Van Loveren

**winemaker :** Bussell Retief

**wine of origin :**

**analysis :** alc : 13.5 % vol    rs : 3.0 g/l    pH : 3.56    ta : 5.5 g/l

**ageing :** Will age well over the next 1 to 3 years.

**about the harvest:** 9 year old vines harvested at the end of February 2002 at 23°C with a yield of 13 tons per hectare.

